[Wallace, Gertrude Claflin]

MRS. M. S. WALLACE DIES SUDDENLY At the Home of Her Son in Gouverneur

Crary Mills, Feb. 13.—The many friends of Mrs. M. S. Wallace were greatly shocked to learn that she had died suddenly at the home of her son, Clarence L. Wallace, in Gouverneur on Saturday night. Mrs. Wallace suffered a nervous breakdown in the fall of 1933, but had recovered, and while not in robust health, was able to go out among her friends and do light work about her home. Her death was unlooked for.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace [?] home the middle of December to spend the winter with their son in Gouverneur and daughter in Malone. Mrs. Wallace went from the daughter's place to Gouverneur about [?] ago and had been as well as usual but expired suddenly while in the living room.

Gertrude Claflin Wallace [only?] child of the late Marble and Henrietta Livingston Claflin, [?] the farm which [?] home, on Feb 8, 1870 [?] married to Matthew S. Wallace in the town of Canton on October 5, 1887. Two children were born to them, Mrs. J. Henry Gamble of Malone and the son, Clarence L. Wallace of Gouverneur. Besides her husband and children, she is survived by six grandchildren and three cousins.

Mrs. Wallace was a member of the Universalist church at Canton and the the Crary Mills Grange and was interested in and ready to forward all church and community projects.

The funeral was held in the church here on Tuesday afternoon at 2:30, Rev. C. H. MacVey [Presbyterian] conducting the service. Interment was in the family plot in Crary Mills cemetery.

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